PATENT APPLICATION

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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PRODUCING CURVED CUTS IN A TRANSPARENT

MATERIAL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of September 18, 2009, amendment to the aboveidentified patent application is requested.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

- A. Amendments to the Claims
- B. Remarks

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